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NO PROGRAM THIS WEEK

BUILDING REPORT: The Bulletin made a brief inspection of the new Club building on 39th Street this week and found a dozen workmen busily putting the finishing touches on the vast renovation job. As one carpenter commented, "It won't be long now!"

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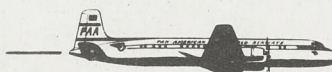
More info on the latest doings and wanderings of OPC'ers.

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NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

ASSOCIATE: Lawrence Fertig, president, Lawrence Fertig & Co., Inc.; columnist economic affairs, World Telegram & Sun and other Scripps-Howard Newspapers for past ten years; covered Bretton Woods Monetary conference in 1944. Proposed by PHILIP LUKIN; seconded by EUGENE LYONS.

AFFILIATE: Philip Gerard, eastern publicity director, Universal Pictures. Proposed by BILL DAVIDSON; seconded by CORNELIUS RYAN.

Armitage Watkins, vice president, Ann Watkins, Inc.; president, Macy Newspaper Syndicate, Inc.; Liaison officer OWI 1942-45 in charge of foreign journalists. Proposed by CORNELIUS RYAN; seconded by BILL DAVIDSON.

The Chairman of the Admissions Committee announces the election to membership in the Overseas Press Club of America of the following candidates:

ACTIVE: ROBERT COLLINS CHRISTOPHER, Rome Bureau, Time-Life International.

ASSOCIATE: F. GARDNER COX, JR., free-lance.

✓ PHILIPPA DAY, editor, Contact.

✓ MRS. E. WALLACE MOORE, correspondent, Nippon Times (Tokyo).

✓ MOE O'REILLY, Carl Byoir & Associates.

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OUR PROLIFIC COLLEAGUES: September issue of Modern Photography features 8-page layout of LISA LARSEN's work with accompanying text by BURT KEPPLER. GEORGE HAMILTON COMBS doing regular budget on ABC, and in addition, filling in for Martin Agronsky who is substituting for ELMER DAVIS while the latter is vacationing...NBC's GENE JONES out of Indo-China, covering developments in Malaya; Gene recently accompanied a Commando jungle patrol, sliding down a rope into the bush area from a hovering helicopter. Travel Editors: "Take note!"

THE TOWN CRIER:

Edward P. Morgan has been named Director of News, and ELMER LOWER Director of Special Projects for CBS in a consolidation of the News and Public Affairs Departments of CBS TV and Radio, with Sig Mickelson as new veepee of CBS Corporation.....OPC'er Edward R. MURROW, winner of four George Foster Peabody awards, and more citations for achievement than any other radio-television personality, spent vacation at his Pawling, N.Y. summer home, and the West Indies, with his wife Janet and their eight year old son Charlie Casey. Ed returns to his three regularly scheduled national radio and television programs the week of Monday, Aug. 30.....HAL LEHRMAN in radio debate with George Britt on WABC George Hamilton Combs' program Wednesday evening; in addition, our prolific colleague has pieces in The New Leader, Commentary, The N.Y. Times Book Review, and Fortune.....RUTH LLOYD spending 10 days in Montreal....GREGOR ZEIMER vacationing in Lake City, Minnesota, working on a TV Handbook to be distributed by American Foundation for the Blind...DAVE FORBERT in Europe on four-month cover-planning trip for International Editions of Reader's Digest; he will shoot pictures from Spain to Finland to fill next year's quota of 200 covers....ARMANDO ZEGRI, Latin American press correspondent, gathering work by Caribbean artists for NY showing.

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On August 14th at Hartford, Connecticut, the famed "Blue Devil's" of the United States 88th Infantry Division Association, payed tribute to guest of honor MARGARET BOURKE-WHITE at the Association's seventh annual National Convention and Reunion banquet for her pictorial account of the men of the "Forgotten Front" of World War II.

AT RANDOM:

Acting Chairman ART REEF, of the Clubhouse Furnishings Committee, reports that contributions are really beginning to "pile in". But he hastens to add that we need more, and more, and more. Westinghouse has come through with a refrigerator, a freezer, a radio, and more on the way. Olivetti has donated eight brand new typewriters which will come in handy for sending bills to errant members. A number of contributions from foreign governments are in the offing (see next issue for details). Renovation of the building is almost completed, and things are moving swiftly toward the new OPC "era" -- which we hope will be a period of greater development and importance for the club and its distinguished membership.

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RICHARD THOMAS shared spotlight with Clarence Manion, former Washington official, when they appeared as featured co-speakers at Chicago convention of National Stone Assn.... BOB DEMME, Pan-American's pub rel dept, now pub rel for International Hotels Corp., Pan-Am Subsidiary...SELIG HARRISON back from 3-year stint in New Delhi, on AP cable desk; he goes to Harvard as Nieman Fellow next month... PRESIDENT BOB CONSIDINE in his 25th year as newsman; CECIL BROWN in his 26th year..ED HUNTER writes he is lecturing in JAPAN, FORMOSA, HONG KONG, on "My Answer to Brainwashing".

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